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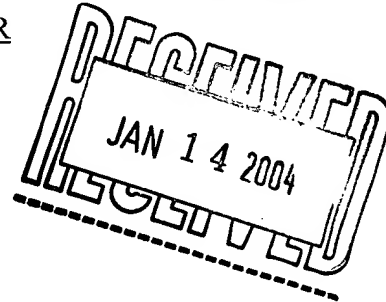
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Submitted herewith are the following documents relating to the above-identified patent application:

- (1) Response to Office Action;
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Applicants submit herewith eleven (11) sheets of formal drawings in the above-referenced patent application.

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